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*Description:* ff. i + 82 + i - Fifteenth century. Caught up sewing on four double, tawed supports. Covers wanting. - Purchased from H.P. Kraus in 1970 with the Edwin J. Beinecke Fund. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 479.

*Notes:* -Manuscript on parchment, composed of two parts. Part I (ff. 1-44): Ovid, Heroides I-XIV; XVI-XXI (line 12). Part II (ff. 46-82): Ovid, Epistolae ex Ponto, I.1-IV.16. For the first eight letters, a brief introductory paragraph, written by the same scribe as the text, appears in outer margin.

*Number of Parts:* 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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*Language:* Latin *Country:* France *Century:* 14th

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**Part 1:**

*Description:* - parchment - 187 x 66 mm.

*Country:* France

*Region:* Rheims

*Assigned Date:* 1303; [between 1300 and 1315]

*Dated by scribe:* No

*Document:* No

*Cardinal point:*

*City:*

*Searchable Date Range:* 1300 - 1315

*Inscribed Date:*

*Number of Scribes:*

*Script:* Both parts written by one scribe (Part I dated 1303) whose hand is characterized by an unusually tall double compartment a. Notes were added to the parchment pastedowns, now the flyleaves, in the 15th century.

*Notes:* Decorative initials, 4-line, body split red and blue, with neat penwork flourishes, in red (ff. 1r, 46r); plain initials, 3- to 2-line, alternate red and blue for each letter throughout text; first letter of each verse placed on middle ruling of three vertical bounding lines. Stains in upper margin result in some loss of text. Binding: Fifteenth century. Caught up sewing on four double, tawed supports. Covers wanting.

*Number of Texts:* 1

**Text 1:**

*Author:* Ovid 43 B.C.-17 or 18 A.D.

*Title:* Heroides; Epistolae ex Ponto.

*Subjects:* Ovid, 43 B.C.-17 or 18 A.D.; Elegiac poetry, Latin.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Latin letters.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.;

*Language(s):* Latin